

Music:
Grades 5-6
Course Syllabus
2026-2027

Course Objectives:

- Listen, sing, and learn about music from the Middle Ages
- Gain knowledge and skills in melody, tempo, and rhythm
- Enjoy music
- Expand knowledge of playing the recorder

Course Components:

- Middle Ages music and instruments
- Understanding simple rhythms and note reading
- Singing and playing melodies on the recorder

This course will expand knowledge of playing recorder and introduce the music of the Middle Ages. We will meet only once a month to sing and learn about music and instruments of the Middle Ages, practice note reading, and play notes on the recorder. There will be videos and songs you can listen to at home throughout each month, and students should also practice recorder at home.

Course Materials:

- Optional: Ready to Play - Off we Go by Sally Cathcart
- Recorder - I recommend the nuvo recorder plus - [Amazon link](#). It is much easier to play than a regular recorder.